Subject: RE: RE: Innovate DTLA Leadership Symposium - June 22,
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From: "Nick Griffin" <NGriffin@downtownla.com>
Date: 06/07/2016 04:03 PM
To: "Christopher Loos" <chris@urbanize.la>

Great, I'm available now.

From: Christopher Loos [mailto:chris@urbanize.la]
Sent: Tuesday, June 07, 2016 3:54 PM
To: Nick Griffin <NGriffin@downtownla.com>
Cc: steven@urbanize.la; Julia Marino <JMarino@downtownla.com>
Subject: Re: Innovate DTLA Leadership Symposium - June 22, 2016

Okay, will call at 4:15pm. Speak soon.

On Tue, Jun 7, 2016 at 12:43 PM, Nick Griffin <NGriffin@downtownla.com> wrote:

> Great. I'm free from now until 2:00 and then after 4:00. Call the office or cell –
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> **From:** Christopher Loos [mailto:chris@urbanize.la]
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> **To:** Nick Griffin <NGriffin@downtownla.com>
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> **Subject:** Re: Innovate DTLA Leadership Symposium - June 22, 2016
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> Hi Nick,
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> I can attend. Do you have time for a quick call today to discuss? I'm free anytime after 1pm.
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> On Tue, Jun 7, 2016 at 10:19 AM, Nick Griffin <NGriffin@downtownla.com> wrote:

Hey Chris & Steven,

I'm following up to confirm whether you will be able to attend our **Innovate DTLA Leadership Symposium**, and ideally participate as a **Subject Matter Expert** at the Discussion Table on **"Defining DTLA."** Please let me know if you are available or if you'd like to designate someone in your place.

Feel free to give me a call to discuss.

Thanks.

Nick

From: Nick Griffin
Sent: Friday, May 27, 2016 8:27 AM
To: 'chris@urbanize.la' <chris@urbanize.la>; 'steven@urbanize.la' <steven@urbanize.la>
Subject: Innovate DTLA Leadership Symposium - June 22, 2016

Hey Chris & Steven,

Below is your invitation to our **Innovate DTLA Leadership Symposium**.

We would also be honored to have one of you participate as a **Subject Matter Expert** at the Discussion Table on **"Defining DTLA" – t**he theme is *COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE: Is DTLA leveraging assets and strengths, to support innovation?*

Please let me know if you are able to participate or give me a call to discuss.

Thanks.

Nick

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As a key stakeholder in the future of Downtown Los Angeles, we invite you to participate in our **Innovate DTLA Leadership Symposium** on June 22nd from 8:00am-12:00pm at **WeWork** in the **Gas Company Tower.**

This event will launch the Downtown Center BID's **Innovate DTLA** initiative to promote Downtown Los Angeles as a place of innovation and creativity, support its innovation ecosystem, and attract new organizations and individuals to DTLA. Innovate DTLA is a collaboration with the Bass Initiative for Innovation & Placemaking (a partnership with the Brookings Institution and Project for Public Spaces).

The symposium will feature Bruce Katz, Brookings Centennial Scholar and author of The Rise of Innovation Districts, Fred Kent, founder of Project for Public Spaces, and leaders of Downtown's business, tech, creative, real estate, government, non-profit and educational communities.

Agenda

Wednesday, June 22nd 2016
We Work at Gas Company Tower
555 w 5th Street, Lobby Level, Los Angeles, CA 90013

8:00am   Breakfast and networking

8:30am   Presentations

- *Innovation and Placemaking: A New Paradigm* – Bruce Katz, Brookings Institution & Fred Kent, Project for Public Spaces
- *DTLA Innovation District: Preliminary Audit* – Nick Griffin, Downtown Center BID

9:30am   Panel

- *Innovation Infrastructure and the Culture of Creativity* - Moderated by Andy Altman, Brookings Institution
    - Panelists:
        - Bert Dezzutti, Executive Vice President, Brookfield
        - Peter Marx, Chief Innovation Officer, City of Los Angeles
        - Jim Gilliam, Founder & CEO, NationBuilder

- Fred Walti II, President & CEO, LA Cleantech Incubator
- Martha Escutia, Vice President Government Relations, USC
- Tara Roth, President, Goldhirsh Foundation

10:30am   Breakout Discussions:

- Buildings and Workplaces
- Innovation Pipeline
- Talent Attraction and Development
- Defining DTLA
- Employment, Education and Training
- Public Spaces and Mobility
- Residential and Retail
- Networking
- Civic Engagement and Investment

11:30am   Recap and Action Plan - Nick Griffin, DCBID

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